



# Earn College Credits in the LHS IB Program



**Looking to lower the cost of your education or the time it takes to graduate?** In addition to scholarships, many institutions offer generous course credit for both the full IB diploma and individual DP course exams. While not comprehensive, we have listed and linked below some of the universities that give credit for IB courses. You are urged to look at individual campus policies for how they award IB credits.

Students who earn at least 24 points on the IB Diploma will receive 24 credits if they attend a Colorado, state funded, four-year public college or university.

*Note- Colorado College, Colorado School of Mines, The University of Denver, Regis University and others are not state funded*

[University of Colorado](#)

[University of Northern Colorado](#)

[Colorado State University](#)

[Western Colorado University](#)

[Chapman University](#)

IB Credit is awarded for Higher Level (HL) exams only with a standard minimum score of 5 unless, otherwise approved. A minimum of 21 credits is awarded by Chapman University for a combined total of 30 points or higher, earned for the IB diploma.

[Clemson University](#)

Clemson awards credits for many HL exams.

[Coe College](#)

Coe awards a maximum of 8 credits for HL exams.

[Colorado College](#)

Colorado College offers credits for SL and HL exams.

[Colorado School of Mines](#)

Mines awards credits for many HL exams.

### [Creighton University](#)

Creighton awards up to 30 credit hours for Higher Level (HL) exams.

### [George Mason University](#)

Mason awards credits for many HL exams.

### [Gonzaga University](#)

Gonzaga will grant college credit for scores of 5 (6 for English and History) or better earned on certain Higher Level IB exams.

### [Hamilton College](#)

Hamilton awards a maximum of 8 units (1 full year of credit)

### [Hampshire College](#)

Higher-Level exam with scores of 5, 6 or 7 may be used for up to three Division I electives.

### [Kalamazoo College](#)

Kalamazoo awards credits for many HL courses.

### [Miami University](#)

Miami awards credit to IB diploma graduates for higher level subjects passed at a satisfactory level (minimum scores vary 5 to 7 by subject area).

### [Montana State University](#)

Montana State offers credit for some SL and HL courses.

### [Northeastern University](#)

Northeastern accepts scores of 5, 6, or 7 on Higher Level exams only. Students may transfer up to 32 test credits.

### [Northwestern University](#)

Northwestern grants credit for sufficiently high scores on most HL (Higher Level) IB exams.

### [Oregon State University](#)

Oregon State awards credit to students who score 5 or above on standard and higher level IB exams. OSU also grants additional benefits for students who complete the full IB diploma with a score of 30 or higher.

### [Reed College](#)

Reed awards credit for many HL exams.

### **[Regis University](#)**

Regis University awards credit only for exams taken at the Higher Level.

### **[Santa Clara University](#)**

Santa Clara offers credit for many HL courses with a minimum score of 6 or 7.

### **[Savannah College of Art and Design](#)**

SCAD awards credit for many HL courses.

### **[Seattle University](#)**

Seattle University awards credits with scores of 5 or higher on many HL courses

### **[Southern Utah University](#)**

SUU will grant up to 8 semester credits to students who receive a score of 5 or higher

### **[Southwestern University](#)**

Southwestern offers credit for many HL courses.

### **[St. Olaf College](#)**

St. Olaf college awards a maximum of 6 credits.

### **[Tulane University](#)**

Tulane offers general elective credits for many HL courses.

### **[University of Arizona](#)**

The University of Arizona offers credit for many HL courses.

### **[University of Minnesota](#)**

Those who earn the full IB diploma with 30 or more diploma points may receive eight semester credits for each higher level (HL) subject with grades of five or higher and IB students may receive *up to* two semester credits for some standard level subjects with grades of five or higher

**[University of Oregon](#)** The University of Oregon offers credit for many HL courses.

### **[University of South Carolina](#)**

The University of South Carolina offers credit for HL courses with a score of 4 or higher.

### **University of Utah**

The University of Utah awards up to 30 hours for many HL courses with a score of 5 or higher.

### **University of Vermont**

Students who receive a score of 5 or greater on higher level IB exams may be eligible for transfer credit.

### **University of Wyoming**

The University of Wyoming offers credits for many HL courses. Diploma recipients are automatically accepted in the [honors college](#).